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Kessler R. Cannon

April 19, 1974

Kaiser Gypsum Company, Inc.
St. Helens,
Oregon 97051

Attention: Mr. Mike Slavich

Re: WQ - Kaiser Gypsum Company, Inc.,
Columbia County

Gentlemen:

This is in response to our recent inspection of your property located northwest of your plant facilities in St. Helens, Oregon, upon which you have proposed to dispose of sludge from your aeration pond.

The area, in general, is unacceptable for the disposal of waste sludge due to dense vegetation, restricting layers in the soil structure, and high water table.

We highly recommend that you contact local property owners regarding the availability of land of sufficient size and quality to accept your waste sludge. As you know, this matter is of utmost importance since between June 1 and November 1 a BOD (five-day) of no more than 900 pounds per day may be discharged to Scappoose Slough from your waste treatment facilities.

At such time that you locate an alternative site for disposal of the sludge, please contact Mr. Larry D. Patterson

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of this office at 238-8471 so that a field inspection can be conducted. It should be understood that you must obtain approval in writing from this Department as to the exact location and proposed sludge disposal method prior to actual commencement of such an operation.

If you have any questions or if we can be of any further assistance, please feel free to contact this office.

Sincerely,

KESSLER R. CANNON
Director

Robert E. Gilbert
District Manager
Northwest Region

LDP/kz

cc Columbia County Health Department
Attention: Mr. Terry M. Rahe, Supervising Sanitarian
Water Quality Division, DEQ



Rolf Larson Excavating

Dozing

Backhoe

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Hauling

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WARREN, OREGON
April 29, 1974

Kaiser Gypsum Co. Inc.
Old Portland Rd.
St. Helens, Oregon

I, Rolf Larson, being owner of the property discribed as
SEC13T4NR1W being 17 acres in Cooper DLC SEC. 17, Warren, Oregon
will accept liquid waste from the Kaiser Gypsum Plant in St. Helens,
Oregon, to be spread on the above discribed Property.
This is to be done May 1 to June 30, 1974

Rolf S. Larson

WQ - Kaiser Gypsum
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KAISER GYPSUM COMPANY, INC.
INSULATING & ACOUSTICAL PRODUCTS

ST. HELENS, OREGON 97051

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PHONE 397-0704

April 30, 1974

Department of Environmental Quality
Northwest Region Office
1010 N. E. Couch Street
Portland, Oregon 97232

Attention: Mr. Larry D. Patterson
Water Quality Division

Subject: Kaiser Gypsum Company, Inc., St. Helens, Oregon
Disposal of Aeration Pond Sludge

Dear Sir:

This is to advise you that Kaiser Gypsum has located a alternate site for disposal of aeration pond sludge. Attached is a letter from Mr. Rolf Larson indicating his acceptance of the sludge for disposal on property owned by himself.

It is my understanding that the D.E.Q. has field inspected this site and approved same as a disposal site. Kaiser Gypsum would appreciate receiving your written approval for disposal of sludge by Mr. Larson. Kaiser Gypsum would like to proceed on this matter at the earliest possible time and requests the D.E.Q.'s expeditious processing of this approval request.

Very truly yours,

KAISER GYPSUM COMPANY, INC.

M. Slavich

Michael Slavich
Plant Manager

MS/a

Attach: R. Larson Letter - 4-29074

cc: Columbia County Health Department
Attn: Mr. Terry M. Rahe
E. H. Schaper
M. E. Kontny
J. Reich
A. Sulman
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INSULATING & ACOUSTICAL PRODUCTS

ST. HELENS, OREGON 97051

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PHONE 397-0704

June 7, 1974

Department of Environmental Quality
Northwest Region Office
1010 N. E. Couch Street
Portland, Oregon 97232

Attention: Mr. Larry D. Patterson
Water Quality Division

Subject: Kaiser Gypsum Co., Inc., St. Helens, Oregon
Disposal of Aeration Pond Sludge

Dear Sir:

Attached is a copy of a letter of acceptance from the Millers, accepting the deposit of aeration pond sludge on the properties which we inspected with you on May 30, 1974.

It is understood that DEQ will confirm in writing the verbal approval which was given by you on May 30th for use of all or major portion of Miller's property as a disposal site for the sludge.

Very truly yours,

KAISER GYPSUM COMPANY, INC.

P. N. Vance

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Attachment

cc: Columbia County Health Department
Attention: Mr. Terry M. Rake
E. H. Schaper
M. E. Kontrny
J. Reich
A. Sulman

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